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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: ☐ a Preliminary Amendment;  
☐ a Reply to Office Action; ☐ a Supplemental Amendment;  
☐ a substitute Specification; ☒ a Supplemental  
Communication Regarding Applicants' Notification Pursuant To  
37 C.F.R. § 1.604(b) Identifying Published Patent  
Applications From Which Claims Have Been Copied.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

☒ A fee for additional claims is not required.  
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The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADD'L FEES
Total Claims	81	81*	0	X \$ 50 =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	2	3**	0	X \$200 =	\$ 0.00
First Presentation of a Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$360 =	\$ 0.00
* If less than 20, insert 20. ** If less than 3, insert 3.				TOTAL	\$ 0.00

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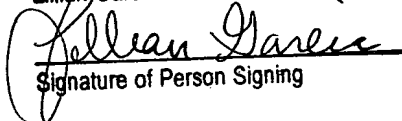
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SUPPLEMENTAL COMMUNICATION REGARDING APPLICANTS'  
NOTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.604(b)  
IDENTIFYING PUBLISHED PATENT APPLICATIONS FROM  
WHICH CLAIMS HAVE BEEN COPIED

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.604(b), applicants have presented claims known to define the same patentable invention claimed in a pending application of another, and applicants hereby identify the U.S. patent application publications corresponding to the international applications from which the claims have been copied.

<u>Applicants'</u> <u>Claim No.</u>	<u>Int'l</u> <u>Pub. No.</u>	<u>U.S. Pub. No.</u>	<u>Pub. Int'l</u> <u>Claim No.</u>	<u>Pub. US</u> <u>Claim No.</u>
1	WO 01/41624	not yet known	1	
2	WO 01/41624	not yet known	2	
3	WO 01/41624	not yet known	4	
4	WO 01/41624	not yet known	7	
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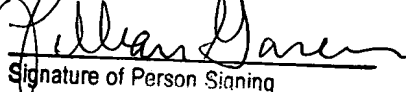
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23	WO 01/41624	not yet known	37	
24	WO 01/70091	US 2004/0097973	20+27	20+27
25	WO 02/30172	US 2004/0092975	30+33	30+33
26	WO 02/47532	US 2004/0049221	30	30
27	WO 02/47532	US 2004/0049221	31	31
28	WO 02/074188	not yet known	62	
29	WO 02/074188	not yet known	66	

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